

## Message Text

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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 7754

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E.FOR AF/EPS (EDWIN SEGALL) AND SER/FM/RSD

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EAID, NG

SUBJ: SPECIAL SELF-HELP FUNDS FY 1977

REF: STATE 193628

1. NIAMEY'S FY 77 SELF-HELP PROGRAM IS FINISHING FISCAL YEAR ON BRIGHT NOTE. EXTREMELY WORTHWHILE PROGRAMS HAVE BEEN SIGNED IN CITY SPORTS PROGRAMS, FORESTRY AND MUNICIPAL PUBLIC WORKS PROJECTS. DOLSTOTNQPP REMAINS IN FY 77 ALLOCATIONS.

2. THE PREFECT OF MARADI DEPARTMENT HAS RECENTLY PROPOSED A SELF-HELP PROJECT IN THE HEALTH/PUBLIC SERVICE SECTOR FOR TOTAL VALUE DOLS 18,500. PROJECT CALLS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF A PERMANENT LEATHER WORKSHOP FOR USE BY LEPERS IN THE CITY OF MARADI--WORKSHOP WILL BE INTEGRAL PART OF MARADI'S LEPROSARIUM FACILITIES.

3. WISH TO HEREBY REQUEST THAT AF/EPS CONSIDER NIAMEY FOR FY 77- SELF-HELP "FALLOUT"FUNDS. TO FINANCE MARADI PROJECT MENTIONED ABOVE WILL REQUIRE ADDITIONAL DOLS 13,400. MARADI PROJECT PARTICULARLY INTERESTING SINCE IT REPRESENTS FIRST SELF-HELP PROJECT IN THAT DEPARTMENT SINCE MILITARY TOOK POWER THREE YEARS AGO.

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4. AS END OF FISCAL YEAR APPROACHES, IN THE EVENT IT BECOMES APPARENT TO AF/EPS THAT "FALL-OUT" FUNDS WILL NOT RPT NOT BE FORTHCOMING, WE AGREE TO DEOBLIGATE REMAINING DOLS 5,100 IN FY77 SELF-HELP ALLOCATIONS.JAMES

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